



# SKEGBY JUNIOR ACADEMY

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to thank you all for your continued support throughout this difficult time and I would like to reassure you that your child is happy and safe in school.

We are hoping to re-open our Year 6 class on Monday 8th June so this will mean a few changes to the way our current provision operates as we must follow different guidelines to ensure everyone stays safe.

I have outlined the changes below.

## **Social Distancing**

Each child will have their own work stations and they have been arranged to provide a distance of two meters between children. There are extra markings on the floor and signs, both inside and out, to help remind children of social distancing.

## **Staggered start/end to the day.**

Year 6 will come to school and leave at different times to your child and they will use the entrance in the parent carpark. If our numbers increase further for Years 3, 4 and 5, we may need to stagger timings but we will contact parents directly to arrange this. For the time being, your child still needs to arrive at 8.45am and be collected by 3pm, at the latest. If you need to collect your child early, please let us know.

## **Breakfast Club and After School Club**

Unfortunately, we are not able to provide a breakfast club or an after school club for the foreseeable future.

## **Lunches**

Children are still allowed to bring their own packed lunch if they wish, this will be stored at their work station. Children who receive free school meals will continue to be provided with a sandwich lunch. Parents who are not entitled to free school meals will now need to buy a sandwich lunch for their child and pay for it using Squid, if they do not provide a packed lunch. Lunches will continue to be brought to the classrooms/hall and children will eat at their work stations so for this reason we are unable to provide hot meals. I am hoping the weather will be sunny and the children can have lots of picnics!

## **Snacks**

We are not able to provide snacks at the moment so please could you send your child with a healthy snack for break time.

## **Drinks**

Please send your child with a non-fizzy drink each day. Water fountains are out of use and children will not be able to re-fill their water bottles. We have a supply of bottled water, if needed.



**Uniform**

Uniform is optional but children must wear clean clothes every day to help reduce the risk of infection. Please ensure your child wears suitable footwear. The children will be doing a Forest School activity every day so please could you ensure they are suitably dressed as they are not able to bring kit to school to change into.

**School Bags and Pencil Cases**

To help reduce the risk of infection, children are not allowed to bring a school bag or a pencil case. We will provide each child with the materials they need and they will be stored on their individual work stations.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Academy office during normal school hours, email the admin email address or speak to me on the gate in the mornings.

Once again, thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,  
Mrs Marples.  
Principal